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In re:

Applicant(s): Vincent

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FOR DETECTING PHYCOCYANIN-PIGMENTED
ALGAE AND BACTERIA FROM REFLECTED LIGHT

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Amendment and Remarks in Response to Official Action

In response to the Official Action mailed July 22, 2005, Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner enter the following amendment and consider the accompanying Remarks. Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner reconsider and again examine the subject application in light thereof.

CLAIM AMENDMENTS

In the claims: